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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	:	
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Do-Young Choi et al.	:	Group Art Unit: 2655
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Serial No.: 10/661,559	:	Examiner: Not Assigned
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Filed: September 15, 2003	:	
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For: DECK MECHANISM FOR	:	
MAGNETIC RECORDING/REPRODUCING	:	
APPARATUS	:	

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

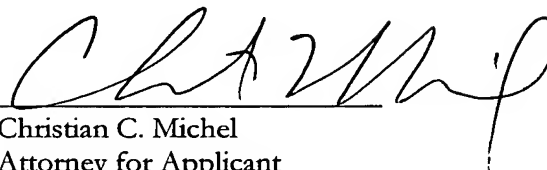
In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 13, 2005, a response to which is due by Monday, August 15, 2005, Applicants provisionally elect group I which includes claims 1 through 9 drawn to a "deck mechanism" with particulars of a "pole base loading unit," with traverse.

Applicants suggest that the subject matter of the claims is related such that examination of the entire application can be made without serious burden. Therefore the Examiner must examine the entire application on the merits. MPEP §803.

Applicants note with appreciation that the Examiner acknowledges that claim 1 links the inventions of groups I-VI identified by the Examiner, and that the Restriction Requirement will be withdrawn upon allowance of claim 1, and that all claims depending from claim 1 will be entitled to examination at that time.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at the phone number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,



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